

Executive Programme in Humanitarian Leadership & Strategy

Lien vers la formation session available **From November 26, 2026 to April 22, 2027**

application deadline : 16 November 2026

Fees 3950€

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About this training course

Humanitarian organisations are operating in increasingly complex environments, facing growing crises, funding constraints, higher accountability requirements and a shrinking operating space. In this context, decisions made by field leaders can have significant strategic consequences.

This programme enables experienced humanitarian managers to strengthen their ability to analyse complex situations, set priorities, mobilise resources and lead teams and organisations in challenging and changing environments.

- Strengthen your ability to analyse, make strategic decisions and lead humanitarian strategies in complex and changing environments.
- Analyse complex environments, stakeholders and risks to inform strategic decision-making.
- Define strategic priorities and develop an appropriate operating model for your organisation.
- Mobilise and diversify resources, develop partnerships and strengthen your organisation's influence.
- Negotiate humanitarian access, arbitrate between competing priorities and represent your organisation in high-stakes situations.
- Lead teams and support organisational change while implementing a shared strategic direction.

Strengths of the training course

- Case Studies
- Practical exercise
- Group Work
- Learn at your own pace
- Personalised support from the trainer
- 100% online

By attending this training, you will get

- A level 7 qualification (equivalent to a five-year higher education diploma) registered by the French National Record of Professional Qualifications
- Co-certification from Bioforce and **emlyon** business school

OBJECTIVES

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TRAINING COURSE PROGRAMME

Navigate complexity and secure access

Module 1 – Strategic Monitoring and Operational Analysis

Module 2 – Safety and Security

Module 3 – Humanitarian Negotiations

Shape strategy and mobilise your organisation

Module 4 – Strategy

Module 5 – Business Model

Module 6 – Leadership

Secure resources and expand your influence

Module 7 – Fundraising

Module 8 – Partnerships & Networks

Module 9 – Advocacy

This course will be assessed and will enable you to obtain a certificate of competence (RNCP qualification 7- level European Qualification Framework):

BLOCK 3: Developing and implementing a humanitarian response strategy in a changing and unstable context –

The assessment will consist of a personal portfolio (estimated at around 15 hours of independent study), which will be presented to a panel

PREREQUISITES

- **Education or work experience in one of the following areas:**
Minimum 5 years of managerial experience in the humanitarian sector
- **English language level:** Minimum B2 (according to European language levels – Self Assessment Grid).
- **Required level of education or work experience in one of the above-mentioned areas:**
Minimum Level 5 qualification / Bachelor's degree or equivalent

Necessary material

Attending this e-learning course requires a reliable and high quality internet connection. It requires also a computer equipped with standard Microsoft Office tools (example: pack Office) and with the necessary material to carry out audio and video exchanges.

APPLICATION

Step1: application

Click on the “Register” button at the bottom of this page and complete the form. You will then receive an email (remember to check your Spam folder) giving you access to your Application Platform, where you can complete your application, track its progress and pay the selection and registration fees. [Get a video preview of your Application Platform](#)

Please note: your application will be examined on receipt of payment of the selection fees. We undertake to inform you of the outcome of your application within 2 months of this date.

Step 2: interview (if needed) Should Bioforce staff members require further information about your application, an interview can be organised (remote or in-person).

Step 3: registration Selected candidates will receive an admission email within 15 days after their interview, or, if no interview is

required, within 2 months upon receipt of your payment of the selection fees.

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